

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

MAR 4 1935

TELETYPE

PAGE THREE

BOND, DATE AND PLACE RETURNABLE IN ORDER THAT FUGITIVE COMPLAINT
MAY BE FILED ST LOUIS. FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU [REDACTED] IS ILL, DOCTOR 170
HAS BEEN CALLED AND MADE EXAMINATION AND REPORTS HE WAS COLD AND IS
HIGHLY EXCITED BUT IS NOT SO ILL AS HE PRETENDS TO BE. DOES NOT
RECOMMEND HOSPITALIZATION. DUE TO FACT HE BECAME FAINT WHILE
BEING INTERVIEWED PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE DOCTOR IN THIS BUILDING WAS
CALLED FOR PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION, BUT OUR PRIVATE PHYSICIAN HAS
ALSO BEEN CALLED AND WILL CONDUCT INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION,
RESULTS OF WHICH WILL BE REPORTED TO BUREAU.

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DEPT OF JUSTICE
LOS ANGELES
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OR FBI WASH DC
OR FBI LOS ANGELES AD

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FBI ST LOUIS

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3-6-39

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DIRECTOR AND SAC LOS ANGELES

[REDACTED] ETAL, CLARK GABLE, VICTIM EXTORTION. **[REDACTED]**
OFFICER IN CHARGE, STATE HOSPITAL FOR INSANE, ALTON, ILLINOIS, STATES
SUBJECT ESCAPED THAT INSTITUTION LAST NIGHT. SUBJECT TURNED OVER TO CITY
SANITARIUM, ST LOUIS, MISSOURI, FOR RETURN TO HOSPITAL, ALTON, ILLINOIS.
SUBJECT STATES HE MAILED CARD TO VICTIM LAST SEPTEMBER FROM INDIANAPOLIS.
STATES HE DID NOT MAIL LETTER FROM CHICAGO LAST FRIDAY. NO FURTHER
INVESTIGATION BEING MADE.

HOB MORRIS

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[REDACTED] ET AL. CLARK GABLE. VICTIM. EXTORTION. b7C

[REDACTED], PRIVATE PHYSICIAN AFTER PHYSICAL EXAMINATION
SUBJECT STATES HE WAS SUFFERING FROM A COLD AND HAS CHANCER AS RESULT
OF SYPHILIS INFECTION, THAT HE DOES NOT NEED HOSPITALIZATION.

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SUBJECT HAS SIGNED WAIVER SUBMITTING TO CUSTODY. FOLLOWING TELEGRAM
SENT BY HIM TO [REDACTED], CHARGES COLLECT, WHICH APPARENTLY HAS
BEEN DELIVERED IN LOS ANGELES, QUOTE, ARRIVED ST. LOUIS SEVEN FORTY
FIVE AM SIGNED [REDACTED] UNQUOTE. LOS ANGELES OFFICE REQUESTED
ADVISE WHETHER EXTORTION LETTER RECEIVED BY CLARK GABLE AND WHETHER
ANY INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED OTHER THAN [REDACTED] AND FURNISH PROMPT
INFORMATION AS TO PROSECUTIVE ACTION DESIRED AGAINST [REDACTED] IF ANY,
AS HE IS BEING HELD AT THIS OFFICE AWAITING RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION.

GORRIS

END

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RECEIVED, INVESTIGATION BEING CONTINUED

ON FBI OF ANGELES

ON FBI ST LOUIS

DISCONNECT

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION.

TO: SAC, NEW YORK

Transmit the following message to:

SAC, NEW YORK

b7C [REDACTED] IDENTICAL, SAME NAME LAST KNOWN SINCE NINETEEN
THIRTY SEVEN, INVESTIGATING DIVISION, BUREAU, NEW YORK
ACT. CONTINUE FROM NINETEEN THIRTY SEVEN TO NINETEEN FORTY
ACT. LAST KNOWN THIRTY SEVEN NINETEEN FORTY SEVEN LAST YEAR NINETEEN.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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FBI LOS ANGELES 3-6-39

6-45 PM MO

DIRECTOR AND SAC ST LOUIS

b7c [REDACTED] ETAL, CLARK GABLE, VIKEX. PERSONAL EXAMINATION OF ALL FAX
MAIL FOR GABLE DISCLOSES INSTANT NOTE NOT RECEIVED. APPROPRIATE ARRANGE-
MENTS MADE WHEREBY WILL BE NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY UPON ITS RECEIPT. FROM
CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE ASCERTAINED TELEGRAM MENTIONED YOUR TELETYPE WAS DE-
LIVERED NINE FIVE TWO EAST JEFFERSON AVENUE AND BOY REFERRED TO NINE TWO
NINE THAT STREET WHERE NO ONE HOME. ADDRESSEE ADVISED TO CALL FOR MESSAGE
INVESTIGATION CONTINUING TO VERIFY PRESENCE OTHER SUBJECTS THIS CITY.
ZEIGER ARRESTED INDIANAPOLIS SEPTEMBER LAST, CONFESSED SENDING SIMILAR
POSTCARD TO SAME VICTIM DEMANDING MONEY WHICH CARD WAS NEVER RECEIVED.
INVESTIGATION WAS NEGATIVE IN THAT CASE. POSSIBLY SUBJECT SEEKING MEDICAL
ATTENTION AND PUBLICITY.

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MAR 10 1939

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FBI LOS ANGELES

3-9-39

9-00 PM

FL b7c

DIRECTOR AND SAC ST LOUIS

b7c [REDACTED], ETAL, CLARK GABLE, VICTIM EXTORTION. POSTCARD TO GABLE RECEIVED LATE TODAY POSTMARKED ST LOUIS MARCH SIX LAST TWELVE MIDNIGHT. READING QUOTE IF YOU KNOW WHAT IS GOOD FOR YOU YOU WILL DO AS I SAY. YOU ARE TO GET FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS READY AND DONT REPORT TO POLICE OR C MEN. YOU WILL GET A LETTER FOLLOWING ON. SIGN BLACKHAND UNQUOTE. ARRANGEMENTS MADE TO BE NOTIFIED IF FURTHER COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED. ST LOUIS ADVISE IF [REDACTED] COULD HAVE PREPARED NOTE FOLLOWING TURNOVER TO ASYLUM OFFICIALS. INTERVIEW SUBJECT FOR FULL DETAILS AND PRESENT FACTS TO DSA IF CONFESSION OBTAINED. NO EVIDENCE TO INDICATE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF SUBJECT ARE HERE. TELEGRAM SENT BY HIM REPORTED RETURNED TO SENDER AS ADDRESSEE UNKNOWN. IF PROSECUTION AUTHORIZED REQUEST NO PUBLICITY. REPORT THIS OFFICE NOTIFIED. ST LOUIS ADVISE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

ST LOUIS ON THE 11 AM 11-11-39

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MAR 11 1939
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LABORATORY

MAR 12 11 22 AM '33
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Laboratory Report

[REDACTED], ET AL;
CLARK GABLE - Victim
MURDER

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Number:

Q-100-24
LABORATORY

Specimens:

Q-100-24 & 2 Dental and postmortal "Tooth Marks, No. 23, Mar. 6, 1933, 10 - 12" submitted to Mr. Clark Gable.

Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Date received: 3/12/33

Examination requested: Forensic - Fingerprint

Result of examination:

Examination by [REDACTED]

Requested that handwriting on Q 2 be compared with handwriting of [REDACTED] of [REDACTED]

Q-100-24

Examination received AND MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

Examination received in [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

#1 [REDACTED] 216 [REDACTED]

25 (214)
10 (216)

15 (215)

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(715)

#3 original 215 216 [REDACTED]

In #1 216 [REDACTED]

(216) 216 [REDACTED]

with 216

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Date 3/14 193 9

FROM: Technical Laboratory

TO: Single Fingerprint Section

Case Number: 9-4093-14

No latent fingerprints developed

Iodine prints developed on

Silver nitrate prints on Q1

Identiscope negatives attached hereto.

REMARKS:

b7C

By: [redacted]

Special Agent

STILL
LAWSON, DONALD E.

1004.

CLASS 0-125 - 0-125
0-125

Author:

Specimen

specimens.
 9-11-44 - 2 Postal cards postmarked "Great Britain, No. 15, Nov. 8, 1944, 10 - 11"
 addressed to Mr. Clark Gable.

Examination requested by:

14-00000

Date received

1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573, 2574, 2575, 2576, 2577, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2590, 2591, 2592, 2593, 2594, 2595, 2596, 2597, 2598, 2599, 2600, 2601, 2602, 2603, 2604, 2605, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610, 2611, 2612, 2613, 2614, 2615, 2616, 2617, 2618, 2619, 2620, 2621, 2622, 2623, 2624, 2625, 2626, 2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2631, 2632, 2633, 2634, 2635, 2636, 2637, 2638, 2639, 2640, 2641, 2642, 2643, 2644, 2645, 2646, 2647, 2648, 2649, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2654, 2655, 2656, 2657, 2658, 2659, 2660, 2661, 2662, 2663, 2664, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2670, 2671, 2672, 2673, 2674, 2675, 2676, 2677, 2678, 26

Examination requested:

~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Result of examination:

Examination by

Result of examination:
Specimens that handwriting on # 2 be compared with handwriting of [REDACTED] (E 2)
b7c

2000
 Silent of our nature. 2000 2-16-27
 Initiated report 2-16-27

17-1-5

March 11, 1949

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of March 10, 1949, regarding the above-captioned matter.

The Bureau has been advised that the information furnished by you is being reviewed.

VLC

Very truly yours,
Special Agent in Charge

Very truly yours,

Special Agent in Charge, New York Office

Enclosed for the New York Office are two copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above.

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United States Department of Justice

U.S. MAIL, MAR 10, 1939
March 10, 1939

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

b7C

Re: [REDACTED] K. A.
CLARK GABLE Victim
MURKIN

Dear Sir:

There is being transmittal under separate cover, in a mailing tube, a postcard addressed to CLARK GABLE, P.O. Studios, Culver City, California, mailed at St. Louis, Missouri, March 6, 1939 at 12:00 midnight, which reads as follows:

"Dear Sir,

If you know what is good for you
you will do as I say. You are to get \$5,000
ready & don't report to Police or G Men.
You will get a letter following on.

"Black hand"

It is requested that a comparison of the handwriting in this note be made with the known specimens of [REDACTED] which the St. Louis Field Division was requested to forward to the Bureau, and also that the appropriate fingerprint examination be made, it being indicated in the file that subject's prints have formerly been sent to the Bureau under Indianapolis, Indiana, Police Department number 35150.

The attention of the St. Louis Field Division is directed to the fact that this postcard was mailed at midnight on March 6, 1939, apparently after subject was released to the asylum from which he escaped, and it is suggested that it may be desirable to ascertain how he could have done this.

Very truly yours,

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R. B. NOBLE

R. B. NOBLE,
Special Agent in Charge

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Report

Examination of [redacted] on [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]

Number:

Case:

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Specimens: [redacted] from [redacted] of the [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]

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Specimens [redacted] developed on [redacted] in this case with [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]

Examination requested by:

Date received:

Examination requested:

Result of examination:

as - [redacted] [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]

Examination by:

[redacted] #1
[redacted] AE

#1 [redacted] 3-16 9am

b7C

#2 [redacted] 3-16 9am

[redacted] [redacted] [redacted] 3-15 11:20

Out 3-21

[redacted] (2-15)

[redacted] (2-15)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Report

Recorded 3-11-59 1:00 PM

Case: [REDACTED], et al; Clark Gable, victim;
SECURITY

Number: 9-4005-15

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Specimens:

EX 9-4005-15 EX Seven sheets of the known handwriting of [REDACTED]

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Compare latents developed on Q in this case with [REDACTED]
Fingerprints, FBI-285376

Examination requested by: St. Louis

Date received: 3-13-59 mfr

Examination requested: Forensic - Fingerprint

Result of examination:

(AIR MAIL)
cc - Los Angeles
New York
Chicago

Examination by: [REDACTED]

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file requested 3-14
packet ..

No latents

Dictated 3-12

Handwritten notes and stamps in the bottom right corner, including a date stamp "MAR 13 1959".

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Report

9-20-34 and 13

Case: **Black Cable - Victim**
Inter-Plan.

Number:

Specimens:

- Q1, Postal card postmarked "Saint Louis, Missouri, 13, March 6, 1934, 12 - R."
addressed to Mr. Black Cable.
Q2, Seven pieces of the brown handwriting of **[redacted]**

Examination requested by:

San Antonio - St. Louis

Date received:

3-13-34

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Result of examination:

Examination by:

The handwriting on the postal card designated as Q1 was compared with the handwriting of **[redacted]** listed in the Laboratory as Q1 and Q2, and the examination was verified that specimens Q1, Q2 and Q3 were all written by **[redacted]**.

Specimen Q1 was minutely treated for the development of latent fingerprints and a report thereon will be submitted separately.

A photographic copy of specimen Q1 is retained for the San Antonio Field Division.

THE CLERICAL OFFICE IS ALSO ADVISED BY THE LABORATORY FOR THE USE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED. THE CLERICAL OFFICE IS ALSO ADVISED FOR THE USE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED. THE CLERICAL OFFICE IS ALSO ADVISED FOR THE USE OF ANY SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED.

March 17, 1979

ALG:022

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Special Agent in Charge
St. Louis, Missouri

b7C

RE: [REDACTED], et al
BLACK PANTHER PARTY, VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAWS

Dear Sir:

b7C

Reference is made to your letter of March 12, 1979,
transmitting handwriting specimens and requesting that the
specimens be compared with the latent impressions in the above-mentioned
case.

You are advised that no latent fingerprints have been
developed in the above-mentioned case, therefore, the requested
comparison cannot be made.

Very truly yours,

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March 21, 1939

March 21, 1939

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
San Francisco, California

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
San Francisco, California
Director

Dear Sir:

There is attached herewith the laboratory report
concerning the fingerprinting of specimens submitted by your office
in connection with the above entitled matter and received in
the Bureau March 21, 1939.

Very truly yours,



J. Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosure

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

March 10, 1939
Bureau of Investigation

ALL MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

REGISTERED

Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

b7C

Re: [REDACTED] et al.
CHARGE OF [REDACTED]
EXTORTION.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the teletype message to the Bureau and the Los Angeles Office dated March 6, 1939. Reference is also made to the letter from the Los Angeles Office to the Bureau dated March 10, 1939.

I am transmitting herewith to the Bureau, attached to the Technical Laboratory's copy of this letter, seven sheets of paper containing specimens of the handwriting of [REDACTED]

It is respectfully requested that the specimens of [REDACTED] handwriting be compared with the handwriting on the post card mentioned in the letter of reference from the Los Angeles Office. It is also requested that [REDACTED] fingerprints, FBI-723,376, be compared with any latent prints which may be developed on the post card forwarded to the Bureau by the Los Angeles Office, and that copies of the laboratory report be furnished to the St. Louis, New York, Chicago and Los Angeles Offices.

Very truly yours,

G. E. MORRIS,
Special Agent in Charge.

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Enclosures (7)

✓ cc - Los Angeles
Chicago
New York
Technical Laboratory

9-4005-15

Copy and Specimens Retained in Laboratory

TELETYPE

FBI ST LOUIS 5-35 PM 5-11-59 CFB

DIRECTOR

SACS NEW YORK CITY AND LOS ANGELES

b7C
[REDACTED] EXTORTION. USA ST LOUIS STATES COMPLAINT WILL BE
FILED AGAINST SUBJECT BEFORE US COMMISSIONER ST LOUIS MARCH
THIRTEENTH NEXT. HE DESIRES DETERMINATION BY DOCTOR KING
COUNTY HOSPITAL PSYCHOPATHIC DIVISION, BROOKLYN, AS TO SUBJECT'S
ABILITY TO DISTINGUISH RIGHT FROM WRONG AND OTHER INFORMATION
REGARDING HIS MENTAL ABILITY, [REDACTED] BEFORE ACTION IS TAKEN TO REMOVE
HIM FROM NEW YORK TO ST LOUIS FOR PROSECUTION, BASED ON FEDERAL
WARRANT TO BE ISSUED NEXT MONDAY.

MORRIS

END

ACK PLS

WASHINGTON OK FBI WASHINGTON DC THT

NEW YORK CITY OK FBI NEW YORK CITY REC

LOS ANGELES OK FBI LOS ANGELES RCM

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FBI ST LOUIS 3-11-36 9-50 AM DE
DIRECTOR

b7c [REDACTED] ET AL. CLAY, WABLE, VICTIM. EXTORTION.
RAY WEBSTER POST DISPATCH REPORTER, STATES HIS PAPER RECEIVED
INFORMATION FROM HERBERT FREER, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY,
ST. LOUIS, REGARDING INSTANT CASE YESTERDAY, AND HE DESIRED
BUREAU RELEASE. THERE HAS BEEN NO PUBLICITY HERE THUS FAR.
HOWEVER, WHEN SUBJECT TAKEN INTO CUSTODY MR. FREER WILL
UNDOUBTEDLY RELEASE ALL OF THE FACTS. HE TOLD US YESTERDAY HE
WOULD NOT GIVE OUT INFORMATION TO PRESS UNTIL COMPLAINT HAD BEEN
FILED. IN VIEW OF REQUEST BY POST DISPATCH ADVISE WHETHER BUREAU
DESIRES RELEASE FACTS AFTER SUBJECT TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

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NORRIS

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Yes. But also call
attention to magazine's attention
reaction of [unclear] giving
facts to press prematurely
newspaper 4/12/36 [unclear]

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[illegible]

I indicated to Mr. Morris the Bureau will authorize him to make a release immediately upon determining that [redacted] is being retained to our custody, and Mr. Morris stated that is all probability.

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Memorandum for
Mr. J. A. Tamm

March 17, 1936

b7C [redacted] will not be so released at this time but that a Federal
complaint should be filed against the defendant under the Federal
State Statute of New York. [redacted] stated that the United States
Attorney at New York is presently planning to present
all of the facts immediately upon filing the complaint. I in turn
stated that unless he receives contrary instructions from the
Department he should make a release in this case immediately upon learning
that a complaint is actually being filed and that the United States
Attorney's office is actually making a release. Mr. Morris stated
he understands thoroughly that the Bureau is not trying to take over
this matter. I told Mr. Morris that Los Angeles and New
York should be notified if and when he makes a release in order that
simultaneous releases may be made by such offices. Mr. Morris stated
he is sending in a letter immediately outlining in detail the actions
taken by Assistant United States Attorney Green with regard to the
publicity in this matter.

Respectfully,

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FBI ST LOUIS 3-13-39 11-30 AM DB

DIRECTOR

✓ LARS NEW YORK AND LOS ANGELES

b7c ~~REDACTED~~, EXTORTION. USA ST. LOUIS HAS NOW DECIDED TO WITHHOLD FILING OF COMPLAINT PENDING RECEIPT OF ADVICE FROM NEW YORK OFFICE AS TO WHETHER SUBJECT HAS MENTAL CAPACITY TO DISTINGUISH RIGHT FROM WRONG. IF DOCTORS AT KINGS HOSPITAL, BROOKLYN, N. Y., DECIDE THAT SUBJECT KNOWS RIGHT FROM WRONG HE WILL AUTHORIZE COMPLAINT UPON RECEIPT OF THIS INFORMATION AND ATTEMPT TO REMOVE SUBJECT TO ST. LOUIS FOR PROSECUTION. NEW YORK OFFICE REQUESTED TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH MEDICAL AUTHORITIES AT KINGS HOSPITAL AND ADVISE ST. LOUIS OF RESULT OF OBSERVATION OF SAID DOCTORS.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
MAR 14 1939
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

March 1, 1935

1:00 PM

Time: 12:45 P.M.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

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RE: [REDACTED], ET AL;
CLARK GABLE - VICTIM
EXTORTION

While talking to SAC Brantley at New York about another matter I advised him I had noticed several teletypes from Morris at St. Louis indicating that the U. S. Attorney is going to prosecute just as soon as he finds out the attitude of the people in New York relative to [REDACTED] mental condition. Mr. Brantley stated he is to be notified tomorrow regarding [REDACTED] condition. Mr. Brantley also informed that he is following instructions of not trying to get custody of [REDACTED].

E. A. Tamm

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
MAR 7 1935
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Saint Louis, Missouri,
March 15, 1932.

AIR MAIL
SPECIAL DELIVERY

Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

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Re: [REDACTED]
CLARK GABLE, Victim;
KIDNAPING.

Dear Sir:

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Pursuant to the telephonic request of [REDACTED] of the Bureau, I am outlining the following information regarding the submission of the facts in this case to Assistant United States Attorney HERBERT H. FINKEL, of St. Louis, Missouri, and his request that a complaint be filed and, also in regard to the submission of this information to the press by Mr. FINKEL.

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On March 6, 1932, at approximately 11:00 A. M., [REDACTED] was seen loitering in front of the St. Louis Bureau Office in the corridor of the United States Court House and Custom House building. He was seen by several agents and finally, Special Agent [REDACTED] upon leaving the Office, noticed that he had gone toward the elevator in this building. Agent [REDACTED] approached him and after a brief conversation with him, invited him to the Office, where [REDACTED] made a signed, written statement to the effect that he, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] had agreed to write a letter to CLARK GABLE for the purpose of obtaining \$50,000.00 from him, under threat of personal injury. [REDACTED] stated that he wrote the letter at Chicago and mailed it on March 2, 1932 at about 1:00 P. M. and that the letter was addressed to CLARK GABLE. After writing this statement, [REDACTED] became very faint and unsteady and for this reason, the United States Officer in the United States Court House and Custom House building and called in for emergency treatment. [REDACTED] was taken to the hospital where he was treated. [REDACTED] services are utilized by the St. Louis Office and [REDACTED] of these physicians reported that [REDACTED] was in a state of [REDACTED] and the private physician [REDACTED] that he had [REDACTED] and affecting his [REDACTED]

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he had escaped from the Alton State Hospital for the Insane at Alton, Illinois on March 2, 1939, which was immediately verified by contact with the officials of that hospital, and that he had mailed a postcard to CLARK GABLE after his escape, demanding \$10,000.00 under threats of personal injury.

The Los Angeles Office indicated that no communication had been received by CLARK GABLE until the receipt of a postcard by him on March 9, 1939, which was postmarked March 6, 1939, 12 Midnight, St. Louis, Mo., and which demanded that CLARK GABLE pay the author of the postcard \$10,000.00. This information was furnished to the St. Louis Office by teletype in which it was requested that the facts in the case be submitted to the United States Attorney and that no publicity should be given the matter before notification to the Los Angeles Office.

Prior to receiving this information regarding the receipt of the postcard by CLARK GABLE, the St. Louis Office had turned subject over to the St. Louis Police for delivery to the Alton State Hospital at Alton, Illinois and it was later learned that he had been delivered to the Kings County Hospital at Brooklyn, New York.

Special Agent ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ of this Office submitted the facts to Assistant United States Attorney HERBERT E. FREEH on March 10, 1939, at which time Mr. FREEH stated that subject ~~XXXXXX~~ should be prosecuted as it appears that he is being incarcerated in insane asylums to avoid prosecution on criminal charges. Mr. FREEH has been furnished with all of the facts in this case, indicating that subject's case is diagnosed as "Schizophrenia Paranoid; simple" and he has been kept advised of the handling of subject by the Illinois State authorities. He was further advised that subject was turned over to the Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, on March 11, 1939. When ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ advised of this, he stated that he desired to have a complaint filed against subject, and that it be determined by the ~~XXXXXX~~ as to whether subject can distinguish right from wrong. He also stated that subject was in custody by Federal authorities at the Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, New York.

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ advised that this case was first presented to Mr. FREEH on March 10, 1939. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~, the representative of the ~~XXXXXX~~, was off duty at the time and was called by ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~, another reporter of the ~~XXXXXX~~, for one day only. On March 11, 1939 when ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ returned to duty, he called on the St. Louis Bureau Office and stated that ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ had obtained information from Mr. FREEH regarding this case and that ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ had advised ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ and requested that the matter be followed up.

From Post Dispatch

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as Mr. FREEH indicated that he would furnish a release in the matter very soon. He requested that such a release be made by the Bureau. He was advised that I could not make such a release to him. Thereafter, I communicated with the Bureau by teletype furnishing the information about the interview with RAY WEBSTER and his request for a release. At the request of Mr. TAMM, I contacted Mr. FREEH, who stated that he had talked to WAYNE LINDMAN, Post-Dispatch reporter, about the case on March 10, 1939, but that he did not believe that the matter was taken up by LINDMAN, and that any request for information must have come from Los Angeles.

Mr. TAMM was immediately advised of this discussion with Mr. FREEH and requested that the matter of publicity be held in abeyance pending further instructions from the Bureau.

For the information of the Bureau, Mr. FREEH is the Chief Assistant United States Attorney and has been extremely cooperative with the St. Louis Office. He is not the type of individual who normally seeks publicity. However, when Mr. LINDMAN is in the Federal Building he does maintain close contact with Mr. FREEH, as I have often seen him in Mr. FREEH's company. It should be noted that no publicity has been given this case in St. Louis and when RAY WEBSTER returned to the St. Louis Office after his first request for a release, he stated that his paper did not intend to handle the matter until some action was taken against the defendant.

It is suggested that in view of the fact that subject SCHICK was in custody of the St. Louis, Missouri Police Department prior to his return to the Alton State Hospital, that he may have discussed this case with the Police Department, who, in turn, furnished detailed information to the press.

In a discussion with Mr. FREEH regarding the case this morning, he stated he has decided to withhold the filing of a complaint in St. Louis pending receipt of advice from the Kings County Hospital in New York as to whether subject can distinguish right from wrong. It is desired that he has the capacity to distinguish right from wrong, he will authorize complaint against him and file when this information is received.

In this recent discussion with Mr. FREEH, it was stated that he is determined about the prosecution of this defendant, so in his opinion the defendant is a killer person and dangerous person he is at large. Mr. FREEH is also of the opinion that he will not be

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March 12, 1939.

held long by state authorities in hospitals for the insane.

Very truly yours,

G. B. Morris

G. B. MORRIS,
Special Agent in Charge.

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cc Los Angeles
New York

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

March 21, 1939

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING ASSISTANT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL,
MR. RAYMOND L. BEWIDE

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Re: BARBARA [REDACTED]
CLARK GABLE, VICTIM -
EXTORTION

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Please be advised [REDACTED] escaped from the Alton State Hospital for the Insane at Alton, Illinois, on March 5, 1939, proceeding thereafter to St. Louis, Missouri. On March 6, 1939, at St. Louis, Missouri, he wrote a post card to Clark Gable, motion picture actor, demanding the sum of \$5,000.00 and threatening personal injury unless the above amount was furnished by Mr. Gable.

[REDACTED] advised the St. Louis Division of this Bureau he had written the above post card, although he previously advised the St. Louis Division he and four additional persons had formulated an elaborate extortion plot against Clark Gable on March 2, 1939, and investigation at Los Angeles, California, proved such story to be false inasmuch as no extortion letters as described by [REDACTED] were received by Gable. However, the latter did receive the above mentioned post card on March 9, 1939.

Prior to receiving the above information regarding the receipt of the post card by Clark Gable, the St. Louis Division informed the St. Louis Police Department with regard to information furnished by [REDACTED] in connection with the latter's escape from Alton State Hospital for the Insane at Alton, Illinois. The St. Louis Police took [REDACTED] into custody and delivered him to the Illinois State Authorities by whom [REDACTED] was transported to New York, in accordance with a state exchange agreement between New York and Illinois, [REDACTED] being originally from the last named state. [REDACTED] was delivered to the Psychopathic Division of the K. J. Hospital at Brooklyn, New York, on March 11, 1939, for psychological examination and observation, he being presently on the above hospital.

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Memorandum for
Mr. McGuire

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March 22, 1939

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Subsequent to receiving the above information concerning the receipt of the post card by Mr. White, a Special Agent of the St. Louis Division presented the facts regarding this extortion violation to Assistant United States Attorney Herbert E. Freer at St. Louis, Missouri, on March 14, 1939, at which time Mr. Freer indicated subject Chicago should be prosecuted inasmuch as the latter is in Mr. Freer's opinion probably dealing with regard to his alleged insanity. Mr. Freer stated he desired to have a Federal complaint filed against Chicago at St. Louis on March 13, 1939, following which a detainer could be filed with the New York authorities pending a definite determination with regard to Chicago's insanity.

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On March 11, 1939, a newspaper reporter assigned to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch by the name of Ray Webster, advised the Special Agent in Charge of the St. Louis Division that Mr. Freer had on the preceding day furnished information concerning this case to Eugene Jensen, a newspaper reporter for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Mr. Freer having allegedly told Jensen to avoid further a release in connection with this case very soon. Inasmuch as no prosecution action has been instituted, the matter being under investigation by this Bureau, the Special Agent in Charge of the St. Louis Division, this Bureau, declined to furnish a release to the newspaper. Mr. Freer subsequently advised the Special Agent in Charge at St. Louis that he had in fact furnished information concerning the case to Eugene Jensen, Post-Dispatch reporter on March 14, 1939, although he had not authorized publication until a complaint should be filed. Subsequently on March 15, 1939, Mr. Freer decided to withhold the filing of a complaint against Chicago at St. Louis, pending receipt of advice from the Kings County Hospital at Brooklyn, New York, as to whether subject is legally insane and then criminally liable for his activities.

The Special Agent in Charge at St. Louis has advised that Mr. Freer is the Assistant United States Attorney and has been by the past extremely cooperative with the St. Louis Office, this being the first instance in which Mr. Freer is known to have furnished information voluntarily to another representative of the Bureau.

Memorandum for
Mr. Tolson

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March 11, 1959

It should be noted that no publicity has been given this case as yet. At the same time, the newspaper involved having agreed to withhold publicity until prosecutive action is actually instituted against anyone.

I am forwarding the above for your information and your attention as to any further developments.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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MEMO FOR THE DIRECTOR
12:05 P.M.

While in telephonic communication with SAC Brantley on another matter, I inquired as to the result of the eleven o'clock contact. He stated that a contact was supposed to have been made last night but that [REDACTED] didn't come in. Mr. Brantley advised that the Agents at the station now and no report had been received. I told Mr. Brantley not to be too enthusiastic about taking this case over and if the authorities state [REDACTED] is to be placed in a State institution that this should be enough. Mr. Brantley stated he had advised the Agents along these lines.

2:30 P.M.

b7C SAC Brantley telephonically advised that [REDACTED] reached New York today in custody of an officer from Illinois and that he is in the hospital at Long Island. Mr. Brantley stated we are not fighting for him at all and I told him that is right and that he is just to ask what is to be done with [REDACTED] and if it is stated they want to put him in an institution, that he, Brantley, should indicate this to the St. Louis Office.

E. A. Tamm
E. A. TAMM

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NEW YORK CITY AND LOS ANGELES

[REDACTED] ET AL. CHARLIE BELL VICTIM. EXTORTION. CHICAGO
OFFICE ADVISES THAT SUBJECT BELL BELIEVED TO BE IN CUSTODY STATE
DEPORTATION AGENT [REDACTED], CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, WILL ARRIVE NEW
YORK CITY SEVEN FIFTY PM. TODAY, NEW YORK CENTRAL TRAIN NUMBER NINETY,
TO BE TURNED OVER TO NEW YORK STATE AUTHORITIES. DOCTOR [REDACTED]
MANAGER ALTON STATE HOSPITAL FOR INSANE, ALTON, ILLINOIS STATES [REDACTED]
SUFFERING FROM SCHEUTIA PRAECOX SIMPLE, AND IS REGARDED BY HOSPITAL AS
QUOTE A BUM UNQUOTE AND WOULD NOT ORDINARILY BE ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL
FOR INSANE UNLESS PLACED THERE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS TO AVOID
PROSECUTION FOR CRIMINAL OFFENSES. UNITED STATES ATTORNEY ST. LOUIS
AUTHORIZES PROSECUTION OF [REDACTED] HERE IN EVENT CUSTODY OF HIM CAN BE
OBTAINED FROM NEW YORK AUTHORITIES. NEW YORK OFFICE HAS BEEN REQUESTED
BY TELEPHONE TO CONTACT [REDACTED] TO OBTAIN CUSTODY OF SUBJECT AS
USA HERE STATES HE WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED] IMMEDIATELY IN
THE EVENT HE IS OBTAINED. [REDACTED] OFFICE ADVISED
TO ADVISE [REDACTED] THAT [REDACTED] OFFICE IS INTERESTED IN
OBTAINING [REDACTED] CUSTODY OF SUBJECT.

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FILE DESCRIPTION

SUBJECT Clark Gable

FILE NO. 9-6434

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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
July 6, 1940

Special Agent in Charge
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

b7C By letter dated June 21, 1940, [redacted] an attorney at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios, transmitted a letter, a copy of which is attached, which you will note is addressed to CLARE CAMERON, motion picture star, and requests that he deposit a generous amount of money in the American Trust, Jefferson Street Branch, in San Francisco.

b7C The letter gives no return address nor does the envelope in which it was enclosed. Mr. CAMERON advises that he does not know [redacted], nor has he received any previous communication from her.

It is requested that the San Francisco office endeavor to locate [redacted] through the best referred to in the letter, and that an interview be had with her to determine her reason for writing the letter and the facts surrounding it, and that this office be advised of the results of the investigation promptly.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM J. BROWN, JR.
Special Agent in Charge

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JUL 10 1940
U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

San Francisco, Cal.

June 17, 1940.

Mr. Clark Gable,
Calver City, Cal.

Dear Sir:

As you will recall, this is my second letter to you, the first being in January of '35 or '36. This time I am to trouble myself to ask for financial assistance.

I regret this step more than I can tell you, but it seems too much to expect of you to do the right thing.

You are better acquainted with all the circumstances than I am. May I expect a generous amount from you at a very early date, before the first of July? You may place same with the American Bank of Commerce, San Francisco, Cal.

I am asking for \$10,000. I hope you will be able to do this.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

American Trust Company, San Francisco, has no Jefferson Street Branch. None of its San Francisco Branches carry an account in name of Subject. Subject not listed in San Francisco city or telephone directory.

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EXPOSURE:

Letter from Los Angeles office dated July 1, 1940.

DETAILS:

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

The San Francisco telephone directory does not list a Jefferson Street Branch of the American Trust Company.

At the main offices of the American Trust Company, 464 California Street, [redacted], Assistant Auditor, advised that the Company does not have a Jefferson Street Branch in San Francisco or vicinity. He stated that the main offices maintain a central file of all accounts of all the branches in San Francisco and he caused a search to be made of this file, which failed to disclose any account in the name [redacted] in any of the San Francisco branches. A search in the name [redacted] also failed to disclose any account in this name. A review was also made of the closed accounts in both years with negative results.

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